FORM PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Consinera **Application No.:** 09/723,356 Patent and Trademark Office Filing Date: November 27, 2000 First Named Inventor: Leandra Vicci List of Documents Cited by Applicant 2635 Group: Clara I. Yang Examiner: Attorney Docket No.: 421/31 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Cite **Document Number Publication Date** Pages, Columns, Lines, Examiner Initial Document where relevant passages or No. relevant figures appear FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS Examiner Cite **Document Number Publication Date** Name of Patentee or Applicant Pages, columns, lines T Initials No. where relevant (country code, no., kind passages appear code (if known) Albert Eßmann 07/27/1995 1 DE 37 04 180 Y 2 Υ 9202158 07/01/1994 N.V. Nederlandsche OTHER DOCUMENTS Т Examiner Cite Include Author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), Title, Journal, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc. Initials No.

Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through *Examiner

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED _

citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commerce PADEMAN Application No.: 09/723,356 Patent and Trademark Office November 27, 2000 Filing Date: First Named Inventor: Leandra Vicci List of Documents Cited by Applicant 2635 Group: Examiner: Clara I. Yang Attorney Docket No.: 421/31 **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS Publication Date** Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Examiner Cite **Document Number** Pages, Columns, Lines, Initial Document No. where relevant passages or relevant figures appear FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS Examiner Cite **Document Number Publication Date** Name of Patentee or Applicant Pages, columns, lines Т Initials No. where relevant (country code, no., kind passages appear code (if known) 1 DE 37 04 180 07/27/1995 Albert Eßmann Υ 2 9202158 07/01/1994 N.V. Nederlandsche Y OTHER DOCUMENTS Examiner Cite Include Author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), Title, Journal, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc. Т Initials No.

EXAMINER _____ DATE CONSIDERED _____

^{*}Examiner Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.